

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, The victims and witnesses of crime often face serious financial, physical and psychological losses; and,

WHEREAS, Traditionally such inquiries have been ignored, and witnesses have been treated like evidence rather than people; and,

WHEREAS, All citizens of South Dakota should have an equal opportunity to be treated with compassion, dignity and justice; and,

WHEREAS, Heretofore such treatment has not always been afforded to all victims and their loved ones or survivors and to witnesses; and,

WHEREAS, A statewide Victims/Witnesses Assistance Committee appointed by Chief Justice Jon Fosheim is reviewing these conditions:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week of June 17-23, 1984, as

VICTIMS/WITNESSES WEEK

in South Dakota, and urge all citizens and institutions, public and private, to support the establishment and enforcement of victims/witnesses' rights in South Dakota through participation in local and state activities commemorating those rights.



ATTEST:

Alice Lundert
ALICE LUNDERT, SECRETARY OF STATE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Eighteenth Day of May, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Four

William J. Janklow
WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

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